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IN VIEW OF TIME CONSTRAINTS WE HAVE AGREED WITH EMBASSY BONN TO SEPARATE SUBMISSIONS IN RESPONSE REFTEL, DIVYING UP ISSUES BUT WIT

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AWARENESS THERE MAY BE SOME OVERLAP. INASMUCH AS MANY OF POINTS THAT MIGHT BE MADE IN REGARD TO SPECIFIC ISSUES ARE LIKELY TO APPLY TO OTHERS, WE HAVE ATTEMPTED TO TREAT PROBLEMS IN BROAD CATEGORIES.

I. SENAT-GDR NEGOTIATIONS

SENAT IS CURRENTLY ENGAGED IN TALKS WITH GDR ON VARIETY OF PRACTICAL PROBLEMS NOT EXPLICITLY COVERED IN QA OR INNER-GERMAN AGREEMENTS THAT FORMED PART OF FINAL QA PACKAGE. THESE CONCERN SUCH MATTERS AS REVERSING FACILITIES FOR EAST BERLIN U-BAHN UNDER WEST BERLIN TERRITORY, IMPROVEMENTS IN VISIT ARRANGEMENTS, ETC. TWO SUCH ISSUES ARE CURRENTLY FOCUS OF MUCH POLITICAL ATTENTION:

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### A. TELTOW CANAL

IN DECEMBER 9, 1974 (AIDE MEMOIRES" ADDRESSED TO SENAT AND FRG RESPECTIVELY, GDR OFFERED TO NEGOTIAVE IMPROVEMENTS IN NUMBER OF TRANSPORTATION LINKS BETWEEN BERLIN AND FRG. ONE OFFER CONTAINED ONLY IN GDR-SENAT PACKAGE WAS TO REOPEN STRETCH OF TELTOW CANAL WHICH RUNS INTO WEST BERLIN AND OUT AGAIN BEFORE RETURNING TO WEST BERLIN HARBORS. THIS IMPROVEMENT WOULD CUT APPROXIMATELY TWO DAYS SAILING TIME FOR BARGE TRAFFIC BETWEEN BERLIN AND FRG AS WELL AS FACILITATE INTERNAL BARGE TRAFFIC WITHIN WEST BERLIN. GDR IS INSISTENT NEGOTIATIONS ON TELTOW CANAL BE CONDUCTED DIRECTLY WITH SENAT. FRG-SENAT POSITION IS THAT IT WOULD BE APPROPRIATE FOR SENAT TO WORK OUT TECHNICAL ASPECTS WITH GDR BUT LEAVE TO FRG JOB OF NEGOTIATING FINAICIAL AND OTHER ASPECTS OF TRAFFIC REGIME ONCE CANAL IS OPEN, WHETHER UNDER TERMS OF FRG-GDR TRAFFIC AGREEMENT, TRANSIT AGREEMENT TIED IN WITH QA OR INDEPENDANT ARRANGEMENT. US AND UK ARE PREPARED TO GO ALONG WITH SENAT-FRG POSITION, BUT FRENCH ARE SLOW IN COMING AWAY FROM VIEW THAT FRG SHOULD DO ALL THE NEGOTIATING.

### B. BORDER RESCUE

EVER SINCE NUMBER OF DROWNINGS 2-3 YEARS AGO IN WATERS BETWEEN WESTERN AND EASTERN SECTORS OF BERLIN FALLING WHOLLY WITHIN EAST BERLIN, SENAT HAS ATTEMPTED TO CONCLUDE AGREEMENT WITH GDR PROVIDING FOR EMERGENCY RESCUE. HOLDUP HAS BEEN GDR INSISTENCE ON LANGUAGE THAT WILL CONFIRM SOVEREIGNTY OF GDR OVER AREAS IN OUESTION, DESCRIBE WATERS AS STATE BOUNDARIES, AND OTHERWISE DO VIOLENCE TO WESTERN LEGAL POSITIONS. FOLLOWING DROWNING OF TURKISH CHILD MAY 11, 1975, WHEN WEST BERLIN FIREMEN WERE PREVENTED FROM ATTEMPTING RESCUE BY EAST GERMANS, RENEWED PUBLIC ATTENTION HAS FOCUSED ON NEED FOR AGREEMENT. FRG AND SENAT SPOKESMEN, AS WELL AS ALLIES IN RESPONSE TO QUESTIONS HAVE CRITICIZED GDR PERFORMANCE, AND AMBASSADOR HILLENBRAND RAISED MATTER WITH AMBASSADOR ABRASIMOV MAY 12 ASKING HIM TO USE INFLUENCE WITH GDR FROM HUMANITARIAN STANDPOINT TO BRING SECRET

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ABOUT WORKABLE ARRANGEMENT. GDR PUBLISHED ITS 1973 DRAFT AGREEMENT IN NEUS DEUTSCHLAND IN EFFORT TO TAG SENAT AS RESPONSIBLE FOR DELAY IN REACHING AGREEMENT. GAUS AND ABRASIMOV AS WELL AS GDR REP KOHL IN BONN AND FDP CAUCUS CHAIRMAN MISCHNICK HAVE DISCUSSED ISSUE AS WELL.

EASTERN POSITION

EAST BERLIN IS FULLY INTEGRATED INTO GDR (AS SPELLED OUT IN UNEQUIVOCAL LANGUAGE IN SOVIET NOTE CIRCULATED IN REGARD TO DEMOGRAPHIC YEARBOOK AT UN LAST WEEK). ACCORDINGLY SENAT, ESPECIALLY WHEN IT IS DEMANDEUR, SHOULD BE PREPARED TO ACCEPT GDR TERMINOLOGY IN AGREEMENTS. SOVIETS-EAST GERMANS THEREBY ATTEMPT TO SUBSTANTIATE THEORY OF BERLIN AS A "THIRD STATE."

### WESTERN POSITION

AGREEMENTS NEGOTIATED BETWEEN SENAT AND GDR SHOULD AVOID EFFORTS TO SCORE POLITICAL OR LEGAL POINTS AFD CONFINE THEMSELVES TO PRACTICAL MATTERS. BERLIN AUTHORITIES, ANXIOUS TO SHOW PROGRESS IN NEGOTIATIONS, ARE OCCASIONALLY IMPATIENT WITH ALLIED ATTEMPTS TO IMPROVE DRAFTS FROM LEGAL-POLITICAL PERSPECTIVE; ALLIES IN TURN--US AND UK MORE THAN FRENCH--ARE AWARE THAT THERE ARE LIMITS TO HOW FAR WE CAN AND SHOULD INSIST ON TOTAL LEGAL PURITY IF OUR GERMAN ALLIES ARE NOT PREPARED TO HOLD THE LINE.

### TALKING POINTS

### (1) GROMYKO

IT IS AGREED IN QA THERE IS TO BE NO UNILATERAL CHANGE IN EXISTING SITUATION. ALL PARTIES RECOGNIZED THERE WERE LIMITS TO COMMON INTERPRETATIONS BUT THAT PRACTICAL PROBLEMS COULD BE SOLVED AND TENSION REDUCED WITHOUT INSISTING ON MUTUAL ACCEPTANCE OF EACH OTHER'S LEGAL THEORIES. SAME SPIRIT SHOULD PREVAIL IN FURTHER SENAT-GDR NEGOTIATIONS. FOR OUR PART WE WILL DO OUR BEST TO SEE TO IT THAT POLITICS LEFT OUT OF SUCH SECRET

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ARRANGEMENTS.

# (2) SCHMIDT-GENSCHER-SCHUETZ

US IS SYMPATHETIC TO EFFORTS TO SOLVE PRACTICAL PROBLEMS IN NON-POLEMICAL MANNER AND IS PREPARED TO WORK CLOSLEY WITH GERMAN AUTHORITIES TO FIND WAYS IN WHICH THIS CAN BE DONE WITHOUT GIVING UP SIGNIFICANT LEGAL POSITIONS.

# (3) GERMAN AND BERLIN PRESS

WE WILL CONTINUE TO WORK CLOSELY WITH OUR ALLIES TO FIND PRACTICAL SOLUTIONS TO "SUCH PROBLEMS." IN SO DOING WE HAVE NO DESIRE TO EXTRACT MORE FROM QA THAN WAS THERE TO BEGIN WITH BUT BELIEVE THAT IF ALL PARTIES HEW TO

THE LETTER AND SPIRIT OF THE AGREEMENT IT SHOULD BE POSSIBLE TO WORK OUT SATISFACTORY SOLUTIONS.

II. TAKE OVER OF FEDERAL LEGISLATION AND TREATIES IN BERLIN

NORMALLY ALL TREATIES TO WHICH THE FRG IS A PARTY, AND WHICH CONTAIN A BERLIN CLAUSE, AND ALL LEGISLATION ENACTED BY THE BUNDESTAG ARE TAKEN OVER AS BERLIN LAWS BY THE BERLIN HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES UNLESS MATTERS AFFECTING STATUS AND SECURITY ARE INVOLVED WHICH REQUIRE ALLIED RESERVATIONS. IN SOME INSTANCES AN ENTIRE PIECE OF LEGISLATION MAY BE REJECTED BY THE ALLIES. A PARTICULARLY DIFFICULT QUESTION CONCERNS INTERPRETATIONS BY THE FEDERAL CONSTITUTIONAL COURT (FCC) WHICH AMEND EXISTING LEGISLATION, BECAUSE AN FCC ROLE IN BERLIN WOULD BE AN ACT OF DIRECT GOVERNING AUTHORITY CONTRARY TO THE QA AND PRIOR PRECEDENT. MOSC FCC RULINGS CAN BE ACCOMMODATED THROUGH PARALLEL INTERPRETATIONS OF BERLIN COURTS BUT THE FCC'S RULING ON AN ABORTION LAW SO FUNDAMENTALLY CHANGED THE LEGISLATION PASSED BY THE BUNDESTAG AS TO THREATEN A MINI-CRISIS FOR THE THEORY OF BERLIN'S LEGAL UNITY WITH THE FRG. THE MATTER WAS TEMPORARILY RESOLVED BY INACTION, I.E., THE LAW HAS NOT YET BEEN TAKEN OVER IN BERLIN, WHILE NEW BUNDESTAG LEGISLATION IS IN PREPARATION WHICH PRESUMABLY WILL BE TAKEN OVER IN BERLIN. HOWEVER, SECRET

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LONG-TERM PROBLEM REMAINS AS TO HOW TO COPE WITH SUCH FCC ACTIONS SHORT OF PASSING WHAT WOULD BE UNIQUELY BERLIN LEGISLATION.

WHILE THERE HAVE BEEN NO SOVIET PROTESTS ON TREATMENT OF THE ABORTION LAW SINCE THERE HAS AS YET BEEN NO GOOD TARGET, THE SOVIETS HAVE PROTESTED THE APPLICATION IN BERLIN OF NUMEROUS FRG TREATIES, MOST RECENTLY TWO WITH AUSTRIA, RESPECTIVELY CONCERNING THE STATE BORDER WITH THE FRG AND OPERATIONS AT SALZBURG AIRPORT.

EASTERN POSITION-- AGREEMENTS SUCH AS THE AUSTRIAL TREATIES CANNOTREMOTELY AFFECT BERLIN ANYMORE
THAN "A CONVENTION ON SEA LIONS" AND SHOULD NOT BE
TAKEN OVER. MOREOVER, REFERENCES TO BERLIN IN THE
SO-CALLED "BERLIN CLAUSE" AS A "LAND" OF THE FRG ARE
IMPROPER INASMUCH AS BERLIN IS NOT A PART OF THE FRG AND IS NOT
TO BE GOVERNED DIRECTLY BY IT. FINALLY, MUCH OF THE LEGISLATION
TAKEN OVER AFFECTS MATTERS OF SECURITY AND STATUSUS. GEOGRE

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WESTERN POSITION -- THERE IS NOTHING IN SUCH TREATIES THAT AFFECTS THE SECURITY AND STATUS OF BERLIN AND IT HAS LONG BEEN THE PRACTICE, FAR ANTEDATTING THE QA, TO APPLY ALL FRG LEGISLATION AND TREATIES TO BERLIN SO LONG AS THE ALLIES EXERCISE THEIR RESPONSIBILITIES. IN THE CASE OF THE SALZBURG AIRPORT TREATY, THEY DID SO BY RESERVING ALLIED RIGHTS AND RESPONSIBILITIES FOR BERLIN AIR MATTERS. NOTHING IN THE QA ALTERED THESE LONGSTANDING PROCEDURES.

TALKING POINTS

(1) GROMYKO

I AM CONVINCED THAT HAT THE ALLIES HAVE CONSCIENTIOUSLY CARRIED OUT THEIR RESPONSIBILITIES IN BERLIN IN CAREFULLY SCRUTINIZING LAWS AND TREATIES BEFORE THEY ARE TAKEN OVER OR APPLIED IN BERLIN. WHERE APPROPRIATE, RESERVATIONS HAVE BEEN ENTERED OR APPLICATION HAS BEEN DENIED. IT IS A FACT OF LIFE THAT INSTIUTIONALLY BERLIN HAS THE CLOSEST TIES WITH THE FRG, EVEN THOUGH THE LATTER DOES NOT GOVERN IT. THIS WAS RECOGNIZED IN THE QA. THE IMPORTANT THING IS THAT THE ALLIES CONTINUE TO TAKE THEIR RESPONSIBILITIES SERIOUSLY. WE IN TURN ASK THAT YOU ACCEPT THE PREVAILING SITUATION WHICH WAS IN NO WAY ALTERED SECRET

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BY THE QA.

# (2) SCHMIDT-GENSCHER-SCHUETZ

WE ARE PREPARED TO GO AS FAR AS WE CAN CONSISTENT WITH OUR BERLIN RESPONSIBILITIES TO ACCOMMODATE THE BASIC PRINCIPLE OF LEGAL UNITY. IT IS, HOWEVER, OF THE UTMOST IMPORTANCE THAT WHEN POTENTIALLY DIFFICULT PROBLEMS LOOM ON THE HORIZON WE CONSULT CLOSELY TOGETHER AS TO HOW BEST TO HANDLE THEM.

# (3) GERMAN AND BERLIN PRESS

QUESTIONS OCCASIONALLY ARISE WHICH POSE DIFFICULT LEGAL POINTS, BUT WE ACCEPT IN PRINCIPLE THE APPLICATION IN BERLIN THROUGH INDEPENDENT LEGISLATIVE ACTION OF MOST DOMESTIC AND INTERNATIONAL LAW AS IT EXISTS IN THE FEDERAL REPUBLIC. THERE ARE OF COURSE EXCEPTIONS, WHERE ALLIED RIGHTS AND RESPONSIBILITIES ARE CONCERNED IN REGARD TO STATUS AND SECURITY. IN SUCH INSTANCES THE ALLIES HAVE AND WILL CONTINUE TO EXERCISE THEIR RESPONSIBILITIES AND MAKE RESERVATIONS IF APPROPRIATE. NOTHING IN THIS SITUATION, WHICH HAS LONG PREVAILED IN BERLIN, WAS ALTERED BY THE QA.

# III. JOINT REPRESENTATION: FRG AND BERLIN INTERESTS

IN THE QA THE USSR UNDERTOOK THAT PROVIDED MATTERS OF SECURITY AND STATUS WERE NOT AFFECTED, IT WOULD RAISE NO OBJECTION TO THE REPRESENTATION OF THE INTERESTS OF THE WESTERN SECTORS BY THE FRG IN INTERNATIONAL ORGANIZATIONS AND INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE. IT HAS LONG BEEN THE PRACTICE TO HAVE BERLINERS AS MEMBERS OF FRG DELEGATIONS AND THERE IS NOTHING THE QA TO THE CONTRARY. RECENTLY THE SOVIET AND EAST GERMANS HAVE OBJECTED TO SEVERAL INSTANCES OF "CO-MINGLING."

A. PROTESTS HAVE BEEN MADE IN SEVERAL CHANNELS
TO THE APPOINTMENT OF GOVERNING MAYOR SCHUETZ AS
CULTURAL PLENIPOTENTIARY ON THE JOINT FRANCO-GERMAN
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CAVINET-LEVEL COMMISSION AND HIS PRESENCE AT A RECENT MEETING OF CABINET REPRESENTATIVES OF THE TWO COUNTRIES.

B. THE GDR, USSR AND OTHER EAST EUROPEAN DELEGATIONS IN THE UN OBJECTED TO THE PRESENCE OF THE HEAD OF THE FEDERAL CARTEL OFFICE (LOCATED IN BERLIN) AS THE CHIEF FRG DELEGATE TO THE FIRST SESSION OF THE UN COMMISSION OF TRANSNATIONAL CORPORATIONS, ARGUING THAT THIS WAS CONTRARY TO THE QA'S PROVISION THAT WEST BERLIN WAS NOT A CONSTITUENT PART OF THE FRG AND WAS NOT TO BE GOVERNED BY IT. THE SOVIET NOTE ALSO CLAIMED THAT THE CARTEL OFFICE ITSELF HAD NO RIGHT TO CONDUCT ACTIVITIES IN WEST BERLIN.

C. IT IS FEARED THAT SOVIET AND GDR REPRESENTATIVES MAY OBJECT TO THE REPRESENTATION OF BERLIN BROADCASTING INTERESTS BY FRG DELEGATES TO A FORTHCOMING ITU CONFERENCE WHICH IS TO REALLOCATE EUROPEAN FREQUENCIES. THE GDR RAISED THIS POINT AT A PRELIMINARY CONFERENCE IN 1974.

EASTERN POSITION -- THE BROADER SUBJECT OF FRG-BERLIN TIES IS BEING ADDRESSED BY EMBASSY BONN, BUT THE EASTERN VIEW IS REFLECTED IN POSITIONS ON JOINT REPRESENTATION WHICH THE SOVIETS-EAST GERMANS ARE APPARENTLY PREPARED TO COUNTENANCE ONLY ON AN AD HOC BASIS WHERE THEY EXPLICITLY CONCUR. THE EASTERN SIDE ALSO TAKES ADVANTAGE OF REPRESENTATION QUESTIONS, AT LEAST IN THE CASE OF THE TNC, TO ARGUE THAT THERE SHOULD NOT ONLY BE NO FURTHER INCREASE IN FEDERAL PRESENCE IN BERLIN BUT SOME OF WHAT IS THERE SHOULD BE DISMANTLED.

WESTERN POSITION -- NONE OF THE ACTIVITIES TO
WHICH THE EASTERN SIDE HAS OBJECTED ARE CONTRARY TO
THE QA. SCHUETZ, AS A CULTURAL PLENIPOTENTIARY,
EXERCISES NO GOVERNMENT AUTHORITIES AND IT HAS LONG BEEN
THE PRACTICE FOR BERLIN REPRESENTATIVES TO COOPERATE
WITH OTHER FRG LAENDER IN CULTURAL MATTERS. REPRESENTATION OF BERLIN INTERESTS IN THE FREQUENCY ALLOCATION
CONFERENCE WILL BE WITH EXPLICIT ALLIED AUTHORIZATION,
IN KEEPING WITH THE EXERCISE OF ALLIED RIGHTS AND
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RESPONSIBILITIES. (THE ALLIES ARE IN FACT COOPERATING CLOSELY WITH THE FRG AUTHORITIES, ESPECIALLY THE US, WHICH ITSELF WILL NOT BE DIRECTLY REPRESENTED AT THIS EUROPEAN CONFERENCE.) THE ALLIED REPLY TO THE SOVIET COMPLAINT IN REGARD TO THE TNC, WHICH WILL BE DELIVERED SHORTLY, NOTES THAT THE PRESENCE OF THE HEAD OF THE CARTEL OFFICE ISSNOT CONTRARY TO THE QA; THAT THE LOCATION OF THE OFFICE WAS APPROVED BY THE ALLIES IN 1957 AND THAT THE ALLIES ARE SATISFIED THAT THE

OFFICE EXERCISES NO ACT OF DIRECT STATE AUTHORITY; AND THAT THE REFERENCE TO THE QA IS MISLEADING IN FAILING TO TAKE INTO ACCOUNT THAT THE QA PROVIDES THAT THE TIES BETWEEN THE WSB AND THE FRG OUGHT TO BE MAINTAINED AND DEVELOPED. THE ALLIED RESPONSE WILL ALSO NOTE THAT THE GDR, WHICH IS NOT A PARTY TO THE QA, HAS NO RIGHT TO INTERPRET IT.

TALKING POINTS

# (1) GROMYKO

THE QA WAS A BALANCED DOCUMENT WHICH RECOGNIZED THAT NEITHER SIDE SHOULD IMPOSE ITS LEGAL VIEWS OF THE SITUATION ON THE OTHER AND THAT THE SITUATION IN BERLIN SHOULD NOT BE CHANGED UNILATERALLY. MANY LONG-STANDING PRACTICES WERE CONFIRMED EXPLICITLY OR BY INFERENCE, INCLUDING THE REPRESENTATION OF BERLIN INTERESTS ABROAD BY THE FRG. THE WESTERN SIDE INTENDS TO EXERCISE ITS RESPONSIBILITIES TO MAKE SURE THAT THE PROVISIONS OF THE QA ARE FAITHFULLY IMPLEMENTED. WE WILL NOT COUNTENANCE ACTS THAT PRIMARILY REFLECT POLITICAL MOTIVATION, BUT IT IS ALSO CLEAR THAT NO EFFORT SHOULD BE MADE TO CUASE LIFE IN BERLIN TO ATROPHY BY REFUSING TO PERMIT ACTIVITIES WHICH ARE FULLY CONSISTENT WITH THE QA. (WE FIND NOTHING IN THE ACTIVITIES IN QUESTION -- A, B AND C ABOVE -- WHICH SHOULD BE CAUSE FOR CONCERN ON YOUR PART.)

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### (2) SCHMIDT-GENSCHER-SCHUETZ

I BELIEVE OUR CONSULTATION PROCESS HAS IMPROVED IN REGARD TO MATTERS LIKELY TO BE THE SUBJECT OF SOVIET PROTESTS AND WE MUST CONTINUE TO WORK CLOSELY TOGETHER. CLEARLY THE SOVIET AND GDR PROTESTS ON THE TNC AND SIMILAR MATTERS ARE OUT OF LINE. THE ONLY CAUTION WE WOULD SOUND IS THAT TOO MUCH IS AT STAKE TO UNDERTAKE ANY MEASURES FOR ESSENTIALLY POLITICAL PURPOSES OR TO MAKE OTHERWISE LEGITIMATE ACTIVITY SEEM TO HAVE THAT OBJECTIVE.

# (3) GERMAN AND BERLIN PRESS

MY COUNTRY, TOGETHER WITH ITS ALLIES, IS PLEDGED FULLY TO OBSERVE THE SPIRIT AND LETTER OF THE QA. THIS IS A BALANCED DOCUMENT. WE HAVE NO INTENTION OF SCORING POLITICAL POINTS OR ATTEMTPING TO ACHIEVE WHAT IS NOT POSSIBLE IN THE AGREEMENT BUT THERE IS EVERY RIGHT TO SUSTAIN LONG-STANDING PRACTICES SUCH AS THE REPRESENTATION OF BERLIN INTERESTS ABROAD BY THE FRG, WHICH ARE FULLY CONSISTENT WITH THE QA.

IV. SOVIET ACTIVITIES IN WEST BERLIN

THE QA PROVIDED FOR THE ESTABLISHMENT OF A 20-MAN SOVIET SECRET

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CONSULATE GENERAL, A 20-MAN SOVIET TRADE OFFICE, EXPANDED REPRESENTATION FOR AEROFLOT AND INTOURIST, AND THE OPENING OF THREE WAREHOUSES WITH ONE SOVIET FOR EACH --A TOTAL OF 54 PERSONS. DETAILED ARRANGEMENTS WERE SET FORTH IN ANNEX II OF THE QA AND A SERIES OF SUPPLEMENTARY DOCUMENTS EMERGING FROM DISCUSSIONS BETWEEN THE ALLIED MISSIONS IN BERLIN AND THE SOVIET EMBASSY. BY AND LARGE ARRANGEMENTS FOR THE S\*GD(TXPW"DD#H;IJ#8-<C,PG \*2FD3C368A8DEU@T@Q6 8 (QR8@:RHJ6

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